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THE ESTIMATES of appropriations to carry on the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874, amount to \$308,323.256 27. The appropriations in the prepared bills amount to \$299,414,428.56.

TEE PRESIDENT, Secretary Belknap and Postmaster General Creswell will arrive on the early train to-morrow morning from New Yerk, where they went last evening to attend Mr. Greeley's funeral to-day.

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coast to the Bermudas, that was intended to be made by the Navy Department, has been delayed, from the necessity of employing the Wyoming, which was originally designed for PERSONAL .- Gel. J. H. Martindale and Hon.

Caleb Cushing are at Wormley's Hon. E B. Washburne, American Minister to France, is expected to arrive in Washington to-mor-row. The family of the Peruvian Minister has been increased by one—a fine boy. THE QUARTERLY PAYMENT of U. S. pensions commenced this morning at the agency on G

street. A very large crowd was in attendance, but Col. Cox and his efficient corps of assistants proved equal to the emergency, and there was little or no delay, notwithstanding the pressure. Box-book open Friday morning next at Box-office of theatre. Feats to be had by letter or telegram. Orchestra Chairs, \$150; Orchestra Circle Reserved, \$125; Orchestra Circle Admission and Dress Circle Beserved, \$1; Dress Circle Admission, 75 cents. NO AMNESTY FOR SUMNER, SCHURZ, TIPTON AND TRUMBULL.—In the caucus of republican Senators yesterday it is said that Vice Presidentelect Wilson favored the policy of granting

amnesty to the liberal republican Senators, but other Senators would not listen to this propo-HENRY M. STANLEY writes to the committee of invitation accepting the dinner tendered him by the journalists here, and appointing January 11 as the time most convenient to him. A meetand EVERY EVENING until further notice, and SATUEDAY MATINEE, Mr. Augustin Daly's great New York success, as acted at his theater ing of the general committee and of the corres pondents generally is called at the office of Mr. Knowlton, "Newspaper Row," next Friday

night to complete the arrangements. THERE WAS NO CAUCUS of republican Senators this morning; the committee of five appointed yesterday to rearrange the standing ommittees of the Senate not having completed their work. They will probably be ready to report to morrow. The Senate adjourned to-day without transacting any business, on account of the committees not yet being designated.

Source by defeat at home, Mr. Representa tive Roosevelt seems disposed to vent his spite against the District of Columbia during his brief stay in Congress. An original capital-mover, it is not strange that he should note with dissatisfaction the evidences of progress and improvement here, which have destroyed the hope of reviving that project.

TRANSFER OF NAVAL OFFICERS .- Lieut Geo. E. Ide ordered to the receiving ship Vermont; Commander D. L. Braine detached as a member of the board of inspection and placed on waiting orders; Lieut. B. P. Gamberton from the California and ordered to proceed home and wait orders; Lieut. Commander Yates Stirling detached from the receiving ship Independence and ordered to the California.

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OVER FORTY TALENTED ABTISTS. who did not vote for Grant upon the same footing as democratic Senators. That is, the demo-eratic and liberal republican Senators will be allowed to settle among themselves who shall be designated to the minority representation on the

ILLNESS OF MR. SUMBER.-Senator Summer was seized with a rather sharp attack of his complaint (heart disease) while on his way from Prof. Tyndall's lecture to the street cars, and suffered a good deal last night. His friends have warmly urged his cessation from all his Senatorial labors, but he was in his seat to-day at the opening of the session, evidently deter-mined "to die in harness."

DISTRICT IMPROVEMENTS OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY .- Gov. Cooke and the members of the Board of Public Works will be heard by the House committee on appropriations to-morrow, in reference to being reimbursed for expenditures made in improving streets adjacent to government property. The District committee of the House will also be present, to become acquainted with the nature and extent of the improvements made.

MR. O. L. PRUDEN, for many years a clerk in the Judge Advocate General's office, has been detailed for duty at the Executive Mansion. The statement that Mr. Levi P. Luckey has The statement that Mr. Levi P. Luckey has been promoted as assistant to Gen. Babcock is a mistake. Mr. Luckey is assistant private secretary to the President, and will continue to occupy that position, simply changing his present quarters to the room adjoining the President's office occupied by Gen. Rabcock. dent's office, occupied by Gen. Babcock.

THE REPORT of the southern claims commission covers some 2,200 cases, of which about 500 are from Virginia. The amount claimed in the 2,200 cases is about \$4,500,000, of which some \$900,000 is allowed, and the rest-about \$3,600,000—is rejected. They have about fifteen thousand claims yet to decide and report, in which the disproportion between the amounts claimed and allowed is expected to be as great and probably greater.

WHAT POSTMASTERS MAY NOT DO .- Attorney General Williams has decided, in answer to a communication from the Postmaster General, that post office officials have no right to open or detain letters or other matters trans-mitted through the post office, though they may know that they contain obscene matter. The Attorney General adds that postmasters have no more authority to open letters (other than those addressed to themselves) than any other citizen of the United States.

DEATH OF MR. J. R. BRIGGS .- We regret to announce the death last evening in this city of John Reading Briggs, stationery clerk of the House of Representatives. Mr. Briggs was well and favorably known in this community, and his death will be generally deplored. He was forty-seven years of age, and in early life was a journalist. His dying request was that his body should be taken to Chicago for interment. Mrs. Briggs, ("Olivia") a well-known Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Press, was the wife of the decased. the wife of the deceased.

THE OPENING LECTURE by Prof. Tyndall last night, on "Light," drew to Lincoln Hall one of the largest and most select audiences ever gathered in this city. For once Mr. Sumfer was drawn from his scholarly chamber, to assist in the reception of the distinguished English scientist. Professor Henry occupied a seat on the platform, and the lecture-room fairly bristled with notables in various walks of life. A report of the lecture lacking the aid of the brilliant illustrations fails to give any adequate idea of its spirit, and we advise all who can find seats or standing room to avail themselves of the opportunity to attend the course.

THE DISTRICT IN CONGRESS .- Mr. Harris, of Va., introduced in the House to-day a bill to authorize the Washington, Cincinnati, and St. Louis Railroad company to extend their road into the District of Columbia to terminate at any point they may please. This road was incorporated by the Virginia Legislature in March last. Referred to District Committee.

Mr. Potter, of N. Y., introduced in the House for day a bill in relation to the district committee. Mr. Potter, of N. Y., introduced in the House to-day a bill in relation to the sale and disposition of the lands and estates of infants in the District of Columbia. It provides that whenever it shall appear satisfactorily to the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, or to any judge thereof, that a disposition of any part of the real estate located within the territory of said District, and owned by any infant, or in which such infant shall have interest, in any term for years is necessary or proper, either for

the support and maintenance of such infant, or for his or her education; or that the interest of such infant requires, or will be substantially promoted by such disposition on account of any part of his or her said proporty being exposed to waste and dilapidation, or on account of its being wholly unproductive, or for any other peculiar reasons or circumstances, such court or judge may order and decree the letting for a term of years, the sale, or other disposition of nch real estate or interest to be made by the guardian or guardians of such infants to be appoin ed by said court or judge for that purpose, n such manter and with such restrictions as shal', by said court or judge, be deemed expedient. Referred to judiciary committee.

EVIDENCE IN THE COURTS OF THE DISTRICT. -In the House to-day, Mr. Potter, of New York, introduced a bill in relation to evidence in the courts of the District of Columbia. It provides that all wills, testaments and codicils concerning lands, tenements or hereditaments in the District of Columbia which have heretofore been, or may hereafter be, duly admitted to probate in said District, may be read in evidence in any suit therein concerning such lands. tenements, or hereditaments from the record of such probate, and without further proof of exetion, provided that such record shall be only prima facie evidence of the execution of said wills, testaments and codicils. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Sepators Fenton and Sumner on the Death of Mr. Greeley. If Mr. Cameron, who moved that the Senate adjourn yesterday, had withdrawn that motion in accordance with the request of Mr. Fenton, the latter Senator would have said; "I desire to leave for New York at one o'clock, and therefore venture upon the indulgence of the Senate to make a motion at this time. It has reference to the great bereavement we all so deeply feel in the death of Horace Greeley. This sad event touches the hearts of all our people. Not only in our land, but the struggling and the good in all lands, of whatever rank or condition will unite in deep and long lament over his death. In further public recognition of an event so impressive, of a grief so universal and profound, I nove that when the Senate adjourn to-day, it adjourn to meet on Thursday next. I may remark that several Senators desire to attend the funeral, and it is semi-officially announced that the President and Vice President of the United States will leave for New York to-day for the same purpose.

Mr. Sumner would have said: "Mr. President. I have been requested to second this motion. One word, if you please. A funeral will take place to-morrow on which the eyes of the nation will rest, while innumerable hearts throb with grief and the people everywhere learn the insta-bility of life and the commandment of charity. It is proper, therefore, for the representatives of the nation to suspend labor, that they too may be penetrated by the lesson of the day. More for them than the illustrious dead is this needed. He is gone beyond any earthly call; we remain. Duties are always for the living, and now, standing at the open grave of Horace Greeley we are admonished to forget the strife of party and to remember only truth, country and mankind, to which his honest life was devoted. In other days the horse and armor of the departed chieftain have been buried in the grave where he reposed. So, too, may we bury the animosities, if not the badges, of the past. Then, indeed, will there be victory for the dead, which

THE MEETING OF THE MASSACHUSETTS SENATORS .- At Canal street Mr. Wilson got into an omnibus. A gentleman who sat next to the door assisted him in getting in. Senator Wilson did not know at first who it was, when he suddenly heard a voice—"Hallo, Wilson!" It was the gentleman who had helped him in. Senator Wilson looked at him, and, beaming in a smile, said: "Hallo, Sumner!" The two friends shook hands cordially. "Well, I declare, friends shook hands cordially. "Well, I declare, this is a surprise," said the next vice president. "Well, old boy, how are you?" the eloquent champion of Horace Greeley asked. "I'm very well, old boy; how are you?" Senator Wilson returned, still shaking his friend's hand. Senator Sumner said he was pretty well; indeed he was very well. His health had greatly improved. "Yes, you look a great deal better," Senator Wilson said, delighted; "the trip to Europe has done you good. You look a great deal better. And now tell me all about Europe." Senator Sumner told him everything—every. Senater Sumner told him everything-every. thing he told the Herald reporter the day before. At the city ball the two friends got out and went to the Tribune office, where they had another good long talk. Both were delighted to see each other, and not a word referring to politics or the presidential election was spoken .-New York Herald.

ANOTHER UNPUBLISHED LETTER FROM ME Tappan, dated November 8, one of the very last that Mr. Greeley wrote, he expresses great gratitude to Mr. Tappan for going into the recent contest in his behalf with such zeal; and says in his gravely jocular manner: "I have been so bitterly assailed that I hardly know whether I was running for the Presidency or for the penitentiary." Mr. Greeley thus speaks of the death of his wife: "In the darkest hour my long-suffering wife left; not too soon, as she had suffered too deeply and long. I laid her in the grave with hard, dry eyes. Well, I am used up. I have slept little for weeks, and my eyes are bard to close, while they soon open again."

THE STORM which swept over the Lakes last week exceeded in fury any that has been expe-rienced by old iscustrine sailors at this season of the year. The eastern shores are literally strewn with the wrecks of barques, schooners and other smaller craft, and the Chicago papers are filled with descriptions of the turesque and Arctic appearance of vessels that outrode the tempest and anchored safely in the harbor. Some of them more resembled iceberg than ships, their masts and rigging clad in armor of ice, and their decks loaded to the depth of three feet with congealed snow and

THE LONDON PRESS ON THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.—The London papers of yesterday all publish the President's message, and generally speak in complimentary terms of it. The Times says "the message of President Grant is a sensible, unpretending, lucid and business-like document, which cannot well be abridged. It challenges no special remarks or adverse criti-cism. There is an entire freedom from all political or sectional bitterness of partisan spirit. The tone is catholic and kindly, and its recom-mendations are broadly national and patriotic."

JOSEPHINE MANSPIELD IMPOVERISHED .- It is stated that a gentlemen recently arrived from Paris says that the notorious Josephine Mansfield appeared in that city some weeks ago. She had about \$37,000 in money. This she deposited in the banking house of Bowles Bros. When the failure of that house was announced she wrung her hands in grief, and declared that she was ruined. It is not probable that she will recover a cent of her money.

ANTI-REFORM PLATFORM IN NEW YORK. ANTI-BEFORM PLATFORM IN NEW YORK.—
The New York Evening Post pretends to have discovered a conspiracy between certain republicans and the late members of the New York ring, by which all reform legislation is to be de feated. The plan contemplates the resignation of the officers appointed by the Mayor, to the end that Mayor Hall may fill their places with republicans of easy virtue before Mr. Havemeyer is inducted into office.

ELOPING JUVENILES .- Mr. Robt. Miller, dry goods clerk in the house of A. L. Patton, of Greensburg, Ky., eloped last week with Miss Bettle Blakeman, of the same county. Mr. John Blakeman, uncle of the young lady, and Mr. Levi Moor, accompanied them to Gallatin, Tenn., where they were united in the bonds of matrimony. Miller is aged eighteen and his bridg sixteen.

IN THE LOUISIANA BLECTION CASES between the custom-house and Warmoth returning boards, submitted to the eighth district court in New Orleans, the court has decided that the act creating the boards being repealed, neither returning board is legally in existence, and the write were dismissed.

OREGON'S INDIAN WAR.—Reports from the Modoc Indians state that all the settlers on the Sink river have been massacred, and that eighty warriors are in the field, with only thirty-five soldiers from Fort Klamath to fight them. Companies are organizing in the northern part of the state to take the field.

Two MEN CRUSHED TO DEATH.—Henry Smith and George Drew, who were engaged together chopping wood in Johnston, R. I., Monday, were found dead, having apparently been crushed by a large rock under which they had built a fire, and which partly fell over on them.

Woodhull And Claplin yesterday gave bail in \$8,000 each in the civil and criminal cases in the United States commissioner's court, in New York; J. M. Kingley and a Mr. Jordan, of Virginia, furnishing bail. In the case of Challis, for libel, they gave bail in the police court in \$2,000 each, and in another civil suit \$5,000 each. FULL OFFICIAL RETURNS from the state of Kentucky give the following vote; Greeley. 100,212; Grant, 88,816, O'Conor, 2,374; Greeley's majority over Grant, 11,396. This makes a net republican gain over last year of 25.360.

FORTY-SECOND CONGRESS. This Afternoon's Dispatches. This Afternoon's Proceedings.

WEDNESDAY, December 4. SENATE .- On motion of Mr. Harlan in the absence of the Vice President, Mr. Anthony was selected president pro tem. On motion of Mr. Cameron the Senate then adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES .- Im mediately after the reading of the journal, Mr. Roosevelt (N. Y.) offered a resolution reciting that whereas by the act of May 8, 1872, it was THE DEBT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

should at no time exceed the sum of ten million of dollars, that the committee on the District of Columbia be directed to ascertain and report what the present liabilities, including the lia bilities of the board of public works are, and what sum will be required to complete the work undertaken by the board of public works. Mr. Dawes (Mass.) suggested that the latter part of the resolution be omitted, as it would involve a lengthy investigation, and it was of a nature that could only be based upon estimates. Mr. Roosevelt said the work contemplated would constitute a part of the District. The streets had been torn up and left in a condition that made the work necessary to be done. Mr. Dawes said it was easy to ascertain the liabilities of the District, but to learn hew far the work had progressed and how economical the work had been carried on, and what was to b done was not as readily ascertained. It would

AN INQUIRY INTO ALL THE WORK DONE. Mr. Roosevelt said the board had given out portion of the work by contract, and was doing others by day's work, and the information necessary could readily be obtained.

Mr. Starkweather (Conn.), chairman of the committee on the District, said that the first part of the resolution was objectional, but the latter part would involve much labor. It was easy to ascertain by reference to the published report what the present debt was, but as to what was required to make the improvements in the course of the next year nobody could tell now. The gentleman could get the exact in-formation by reading the reports before Congress. If there was any doubt upon the indebt edness it would be a proper subject for inquiry. The inquiry proposed would involve a larger amount of work than could be done by the com mittee this session. The committee could not tell what Congress would do. The committee on appropriations had had before them this morning the Governor of the District, the members of the board of public works and others in

relation to THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DISTRICT. and they were invited to be there again to-mor row morning in relation to appropriations to lighten the burden of the District. In the late nvestigation the petitioners had been repre sented by counsel, and had taken up weeks of time before the committee. The report of the committee had been laid before the House, and the committee and the board of public works were willing to stand by that report, and were ready to go before the committee on appropri-ations. He did not wish to shut out any light upon the subject, but there had been a thorough investigation, and the result was before the House. The committee on appropriations was now engaged in an inquiry as to

If this inquiry was ordered there was not time this session to complete it. The board of public works knew what had been done and what the expenses were, and were now before the committee on appriations, which had looked the subject over. The resolution would pre-cipitate upon the committee on District of Columbia an amount of work that would do no good. He hoped the gentleman would with-draw the latter part of the resolution. Mr. Roosevelt said that was precisely what he desired to accomplish. It was necessary that the committee on apprepriations should know what was only known by the board of public works. He wanted the House to know that he

felt satisfied that the work undertaken by the board of public works could not be paid for with a less sum than twenty millions of dollars. He made this statement as a member of the committee on District Columbia having attended regularly at the investigation, and with all the information from outside that he could obtain. When the board of public works came here asking for a million and a half, it was but a flea bite compared with what would hereafter be called for. With authority to expend four millions of dollars, they had undertaken the expenditure of twenty millions. They had disregarded law and their own plan of improvements, in some cases expend-ing twenty times their own estimates. The District legislature had made appropriations for work, and the board had gone far in excess of it. In one case \$90,000 had been appropriated, and the board had increased the expenditure to \$270,000. For the 7th street road \$2,500 had been appropriated, and the board had expended \$25,000; but he would tell gentlemen that the improvement would cost \$165,00 for five miles of country road. Mr. Starkweather (interrupting) said be would not object to a reference of the resolu-

Mr. Roosevelt said he did not desire to have it covered up. Every word in the minority report of the investigation and every prediction made there had proven true. The board of public works had not complied with the law or with their own contracts. He would state that a more flagrant violation of the laws of the District of Columbia and of the organic act could not be perpetrated. The law provides that the money hall be drawn from the treasury of the Distric by warrant upon the District treasurer, an officer who was responsible for all of his acts. The board had, without any authority of law, save the law of necessity, and without any precedent, appointed one of its own members as treasurer of the board, and had drawn out the whole four millions, placing it in the hands of the treasurer of the board to be paid out upon warrants upon this officer, unrecognized by law, instead of the treasurer of the District of Columbia; so that there was no record anywhere of what had been paid out. Mr. Roosevelt continued, claiming that the board had exceeded in expenditures the limit fixed to the debt of the District of Columbia and said that he wanted the committee on ap-

propriations to know exactly what they were Mr. Starkweather moved the reference of the resolution to the District committee. Rejected on a division.

The yeas and nays were then demanded. Mr. Roosevelt said he wanted the House to understand that by a reference of this resolution to the committee it would be effectually Mr. Starkweather said nobody wanted to do that. There was nothing to investigate. A vote was then taken, and resulted-yeas 74 nays 91.

THE VOTE IN DETAIL was as follows:

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YEAS-Biessts. Barry, Bingham, Buffinton, Burchard. Burdett, Butler of Tennessee, Clarke, Ooghian, Conger, Colton, Crocker, Dawes. Dickey, Donnan, Duell, Eams, Esty, Farwell, Foster of Chilo Fos er of Michigan, Frye, Garfield, Hale, Harmer, Havens, Hawley of Illuiois, Hazelton of New Jersey, Hoar, Foughton, Kelley, Kellogg, Katcham, Lamport, Lansing, Lowe, Mayhard, McGrew, McJunkin, Monroe, L. Myers, Negley, Orr, Packard, Packer, Palmer, Parker of mo. Peck, Pendleton, Perce, Peters, Platt, Poland, Porter, E. H. Boberts, Eargent, Bessions, Shellabarger, Bhoemaker, Smith of New York, Smith of Ohio, Bnapp, Starkweather, Staughton, Stewell, Thomas, Townsend of Pa., Twitchell, Tyner, Upsen, Wakeman, Wallace, Wheeler, Whiteley, and Williams of Indiana—74.

NAYS—Messrs. Acker, Ambler, Ames, Archer, Arthur, Barber, Barnum, Beatty, Beck of Ky., Bell, Blair of Mich., Boles, Braxton, Bright, Brocks, Cobb, Coburn, Comingo, Cox, Crebs, Oritcher, Crossland, Davis, Dox, DuBose, Duke, Dunnell, Ely, Finkelnburg, Getz, Giddings, Haldeman, Hancock, Handley, Hanks, Harper, Harris of Miss., Harris of Va., Hereford, Herndon, Hibbard, Holman, Kerr, Killinger, Lannson, Manson, McLelland, McCormick, McHenry, McKee, Merriam, Merrick, B. F. Meyers, Mitchell, Morgan, Bieblack, Parke of N. H., Potter, Price, Bandall, Bead, Bice of Ky., Ritchie, Roosevelt, Rnsk, Bawyer, Ecofield, Shanks, Slater, Blocum, Slose, Speer, Stevens, Stevenson, Stevenson, Stevenson, Stevens, Mitchell, Walden, Waldron, Warren, Wells, Willard, Wilson of Ind., Winchester, Wood and Young—91.

The resolution was then adopted.

ARTHORY RUE, the conductor who was held responsible by the corener's jury for the late railroad accident on the Philadelphia and Baltimore railroad, near Ellerslie, gave ball on Saturday last in the sum of \$2,000 to answer before the grand jury, at Wilmington, Delaware. THE FRENCH ASSEMBLY will divide into two

great parties—the left and the right—for the election to-morrow of the committee of thirty, proposed by M. Dufaure. The minister of the interior was tendered by President Thiers to Dufaure, but he declined it. INTERESTING TO FIREMEN .- A decision was

recently made in a New York state court, to the effect that a railroad is responsible for cutting a line of hose laid over its track, and for the consequent extension of the fire by reason of the delay thus caused. DISCHARGED.—The Norfolk Virginian says that on Saturday night last four hundred and fifty men were discharged from the navy-yard, mostly from the department of construction; some of the bosses were also discharged.

TWO CENTS. TELEGRAMS TO THE STAR

Associated Press Reports. THE LATE MR. GREELEY. New York in Mourning.

Immense Attendance at the Obsequies. Distinguished Persons Honoring the Memory of the Great Journalist.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4 .- The weather is clear and cold, with the wind northeast. Large numbers of persons have arrived this morning from all parts of the country to witness the funeral of Mr. Greeley. Colonel Forney, Samuel Bowles, W. W. Harding, G. W. Childs, Francis Wells, and other representatives of the press from various parts of the country arrived last evening to participate in the obsequies. PROPOSED PRESS FUND.

The Herald proposes raising a press fund for the benefit of Mr. Greeley's children, subscriptions to which shall be twenty-five dollars from each of the daily papers and ten dollars from each weekly paper in the United States. The Herald itself heads the list with \$1,000.

DR. CHAPIN'S CHURCH NOT LARGE ENOUGH The number of applicants for tickets of admission to witness the funeral services at Dr. Chapin's church is enormous. The church accommodates 1,800 persons in all. Many prominent personages had great difficulty in procur-ing cards. Some persons offered high prices for tickets, but found none.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT. Numerous clubs and organizations vesterday adopted resolutions appropriate to the sad event.
INSIDE THE CHURCH.

The interior of the church of the Divine Paternity presented to-day a somberly beautiful appearance. The pulpit was heavily draped in crape, and long lines of crape were suspended from every pillar and every abutment of the beautiful gothic interior. The several offerings were exquisite in design and appropriateness. Principal among them were the following:—"I know that my Redeemer liveth," red, on white ground and green body. At the rear of the pulpit was a sheaf of wheat from Chappaqua, in the form of a green body. n the form of a crown, and suspended overhead a pen and an axe. Around the pulpit were innumerable offerings of flowers and wreaths. In front of the pulpit was a beautiful design, with the words in the center "It is done," white ground, purple letters and green border. On a tablet to the left of the pulpit was a floral wreath bearing the letters "H. G." Then there were, in flowers, a plough from the Tribune of fice, a quill from the German Greeley club, a basket of flowers with a crown and cross from the Lincoln club, and floral offerings from the Lotus, Arcadian, Herald, and other clubs. As early as 9 o'clock crowds flocked to the church. but only those having tickets succeeded in gaining admission. By 10 o'clock the galleries, which had been reserved for ladies, were crowded. About a quarter before II o'clock PRESIDENT GRANT

entered, and immediately following him were Senator Henry Wilson, Minister Washburne, and Secretary of War Belknap. They took seats on the right of the pulpit. There were also present Carl Schurz, Lyman Tremaine. and Vice President Colfax. Mr. Colfax took a seat next to the President. Promptly at 11 o'clock

THE FUNERAL PROCESSION started from Mr. Sinclair's house, in 45th street.

Many affecting scenes took place there during the morning. Mr. Greeley's daughters were inconsolable in their grief. The corpse was borne by ten men; next came the clergy, mourners, and then the Tribun-association; next came the Herald club, then followed in succession the military and civic officers of the United States located in this and

adjoining cities, officers of the government of the state of New York and other states now in this city, the mayor and members of the common council, the mayors and members of the common councils of Brooklyn. Jersey City, Long Island, city of Newark, Elizabeth; representatives from Philadelphia, Baltimere, and other cities. Then came the judges from all the courts, and a line of citizens of immense length. At 11:20 the procession entered the church. The solemnity of the scene was of the most impressive character.

From Europe To-day. LOSS OF A STEAMSHIP WITH HER CREW AND

London, Dec. 4.—The steamship Cresswell, from Falmouth for Cork, was lost during her voyage on the 21st of November, and the passengers and crew perished. STRIKING STOKERS IN LONDON TO BE PROS-

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Five hundred of the stokers employed by the London gas companies, who are now on a strike, have been summoned to appear before the police court under the mas-ters' and servants' act. The summons of several of the strikers charge them with conspiracy. The companies show no disposition to concede to the demands of the stokers, and the latter an sounce that they are determined not to resume work until their companions, whose discharge gave rise to the strike, are taken back.

LONDON IN THE DARK.

Meanwhile the absence of gas is severely felt
throughout London. Last night the city was in
a state of partial darkness, and several of the
theaters were compelled to omit their performances. There are no lights whatever in the un-derground railways. The price of candles has

TWO THOUSAND OF THE STRIKING STOKERS assembled to-day in Trafalgar square, and, after listening to addresses from several of their leaders, formed in marching order and paraded several streets of the city.

Affairs on the Pacific Slope.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—To-day several convicts scaled the walls of the state prison and escaped to the hills. It is reported that the forgers, Brotherton, are with them. Great excitement was caused by the report, and the citizens are scouring the country in all directions. One convict has been recaptured near San Rafael.

THE TRANSFER OF THE PRANCHISES railroad company were consummated to-day at San Diego. The Texas company gets all the rights of the other company and 900 acres of public land at San Diego, and 800 acres of water front of that city.

OREGON'S WAR AGAINST THE MADOC INDIANS. Later news from Ashland, Oregon, says the settlers are showing great activity now in their war against the Madoc Indians. Fifty Klamath Indians, well armed, and under the command of Captain Terra, are on the war path against the Madocs. Fourteen whites, also well armed and under the command of Capt. Kelly, have joined in pursuit. No further murders of setlers are reported.

New York Notes. NEW CORPORATION COUNSEL APPOINTED.

New York, Dec. 4.—Richard O. Gorman, corporation counsel, resigned last night, and E. Delafield Smith was appointed by Mayor Hall to fill the vacancy. Smith is a republican in politics. THE SCHOOPER ALLEY MIDDLETON,

THE SCHOOMER ALLES MIDDLETON, from Baltimore for Providence, ashore near Fire Island light, broke up Sunday and Monday. One man froze to death.

STREET CAR STABLES BURNED.

The stables of the Bushwick avenue railroad company, with fifty horses and seventeen cars, were burned this morning. Loss \$50,000.

THE EXAMINATION OF PRESIDENT GRAHAM, of the Wallkill bank, for embezzlement, has been postponed till Friday, and bail has been reduced to \$5,000.

Mandricks for President.

THE RIM TORAL COLLEGE OF MARYLAGE VOTES FOR RIM.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., Dec 4.—The electoral college met at neon, at the capity. Hon. Frederick Raine was chosen president, and made an appropriate address. Ex-deverner Bradford, one of the electors at large, nominated Thomas A. Hendricks, of India a; for President, and he received the unanir one vete of the college. Ex-Governor Bradford, Wm. Walsh and James A. Buchanan were appointed a committee to prepare suitable resolutions to the memory of Horace Greeley.

New York Electoral College.

ALBARY, Dec. 4.—The electoral college reassembled to-day, and cast thirty-five votes of the state for Grant and Wilson. The college adopted resolutions expressive of deep regret at the death of Horace Greeley. Frederick Douglass was appointed a messenger to convey the vote to Washington.

Buckwas paid the \$2,000 reward offered by the Moyamensing Hose association for the apprehension of Hugh Marra, the would-be assassin of Alderman McMuilin. Stricker errect, Baltimore, were unroofed by a terrific gale of wind Monday night. The houses and just been completed, and only three were occupied. The loss is estimated at \$10,000.

Trial of the Accused in Baltimore. The Baltimore city criminal court room was again crowded yesterday morning, and there was evidence of unabated public interest in the trial of Jesse W. Uppercu, on the charge of the mur-

THE TPPERCT WHEAT MIRDER.

der of his aunt, Mrs. Amelia Wheat, on the 27th of August last, at her residence, No. 664 West Lombard street. Mr. Knott, state's attorney. in his opening address recapitulated what he expected to prove, saying: Mrs. Wheat had, on the night of the 26th of last August, retired to bed, in a back room on the second floor, and at halr-past two o'clock a neighbor was aroused by the sound of a pistol shot -a multied soundand then followed quickly and two other shots. The ne ghbors and Captain Foley, who lived in the neighborhood, went at once to the house, and found desse W. Up-percu in his night-shirt and drawers. He said

that some one had attempted to rob the house and had killed his aunt. Search was made, and a derangement of some papers was found, but not such as to indicate a visit of robbers. When Uppercu was told by an officer that his aunt was killed, he did not go near her, but only said "My God! My aunt!" and soon after he had a congestive chill. He gave conflicting and contradictory accounts of the murder. THE MOTIVE OF THE PRISONER for the commission of the terrible crime would

be shown to the jury. It would be shown that it was Mrs. Wheat's intention to give her property to her nephew. On the 15th of January last Uppercu borrowed \$1,500 from a member of the bar, and the deed was executed by his aunt. At the time she was so infirm as to be deat and incapable of signing her name. In all, Jesse Uppercu obtained \$6,500 on his aunt's property from the 15th of January last to the time of her death. There were two alleged deeds of property from Mrs. Wheat to Uppercu, but Justice Wheeler would testify that, though his name appeared on both of the deeds, he had never been but once to Mrs. Wheat's house Thus the whole of Mrs. Wheat's estate was conveyed to Jesse Uppercu. Dr. Knight, and others, would testify that Jesse Uppercu to them that he had sold certain property of hi aunt's to Dr. Martin for \$14,000, and had in vested the proceeds in government bonds; an it would be shown that he was lying throughout made no sale, and had deposited the money of tained from the mortgages in the Union bank in his own name. All these facts printed with uperring certainty to the prisoner at the bar. THE TESTIMONY. Police officer Crooney testified that he was

the first policeman to reach the house and described the condition of the rooms, the excitement of the prisoner, the position of the mur-dered woman, &c. Police officer Leander Johnson corroborated Crooney's testimony Captain Richard F. Foley testified that he had a conversation with Uppercu the night of the murder as follows: "I asked him where he wawhen the murder was committed, and he said he was in his aunt's room, lying on her bed be-hind her; she had called him, as she was not well; he was roused by his aunt calling him and telling him some one was in the house; he then saw a figure across the room, and that figure fired and killed his aunt; he said his pistol was under his bed; I asked him if he returned the fire, and he said he had; I then asked him it he had the pistol with him, or did he go for it, and he said, with much hesitancy, "I-I-I got it from my room;" I asked him if the party waited long enough for him to go for his pistol and come back, and he made me no answer; I asked him how many shots he had fired, and he said he did not know; but one, two, or three; he said he did net know how many shots the figure fired, but one, two or three." Police Captain Lepson testified as to his accusing Uppercu of the murder, who replied, "Be careful, gentlemen, be careful what you say; I have three lawyers." Dr. J. H. Butler testified as to the nature of the fatal wounds, saying "the person who fired that shot must have been close to the bed, or have held out his arm; the face was level with the bed, not turned up or down." Other witnesses corroborated the above, and the court ai-MIXED SCHOOLS IN NEW JERSEY .- The

board of education in Paterson, N. J., last Friday night gave permission to colored children to attend the public school nearest their resi-dence, instead of requiring them to attend the colored schools in a distant part of the city. This action is regarded as a step toward throw-ing open all the schools to colored children. Mrs. John F. Cleveland, sister of Horace

Greeley, is lying dangerously ill at her residence in New York city. Wholesale arrests were made in New York last week of persons accused of conducting gambling houses of the sort known as policy sheps. Nearly all were admitted to bail.

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